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Nazis Stopped At Frontier, Belgium Reports; Allies Send Help Swiftly

ANNUAL CAMP PLANS BEGUN

Farm Bureau, 4-H Council Name Committee Heads On Frolic, June 22 And 23

Preparations for the annual overnight camp of the county Farm Bureau and the 4-H Clubs, at the county campground at Lake Tahoe on June 22 and 23, took definite form Thursday night at a joint meeting of the Farm Bureau directors and the 4-H Club Council.

Roy Marks was named camp superintendent and Mrs. Clara Rank was appointed secretary.

William Parker, Jr., will be life guard and E. W. Zueger, first aid attendant.

The campfire program will be arranged under the supervision of Fred Wessels and George H. Volz will have charge of games.

Max Bollman will outline group hikes for the camp.

The Farm Bureau will again supply a hot dish for the evening meal and this will be prepared under the supervision of Mrs. Mary Cannon. Mrs. R. N. Gray will be the coffee chairman for the camp.

It was voted that the camp fee for children this year will be the usual ten cents. The camp fee for adults was increased to twenty-five cents.

Ski Club Meets

Next Thursday

Special Business Requires Presence Of All Incumbent Officers, Says President

A special meeting of the Placerville Ski Club has been called for Thursday evening of next week at the P. G. & E. Company hall.

According to Robert Carpenter, Jr., president of the club during the past two seasons, there will be special business before the meeting which requires the presence of all officers of the club, and they are being asked to make special plans to be there.

While the exact nature of the business was not stated, it was understood that whatever is done will be in support of a move to wind up business of the past season and clear the way for the newly elected officers.

The officers for the new season, who ordinarily would take office in September, are headed by Reuel V. Whigam, as president.

GIRL SCOUTS APPRECIATE INTEREST SHOWN IN THEIR WORK

The committee of the Placerville Girl Scout troop reports that members of the troop are very appreciative in the public interest demonstrated in the work of the organization.

A few weeks ago, the committee after considering various plans for assisting in financing the work of the troop, including that of sending members to the annual camp, addressed letters to various county residents inviting their financial support of the troop's work.

A particular effort was made by the committee to send letters to all who might be interested in assisting the troop. However, through no fault of the committee, there were some who might wish to assist the Girl Scouts who did not receive letters.

The committee states that any who may wish to share in the work may address their checks or other contributions to Placerville Girl Scouts, Troop One, Placerville.

Supervisors Acquire Fairgrounds Land

The Board of Supervisors this week voted to acquire from El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, one and sixty-four hundredths acres of land adjoining the county fair grounds, which is used in connection with auto parking.



U. S. FLEET'S SHIFT DENIED

President Says He Is Personally In Sympathy With Holland's View

WASHINGTON — (UP) — Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, said today that rumors the U. S. battle fleet would leave Hawaii for the Philippines were "manufactured out of thin air."

"There is just no change in the plans for the fleet," Stark told reporters after conferring with the president.

President Roosevelt said that he personally was in full sympathy with the views of Queen Wilhelmina in her proclamation rallying Holland to fight the German invasion.

At the same time the president declared in a press conference that he saw no change in the situation to warrant revision of his belief that this country can stay out of war.

He said he would not go into detail on that subject because it was speculative. He warned reporters not to interpret the word "speculative" under any conditions to mean that this country may become involved in the European struggle.

The president indicated that he is not yet ready to proclaim that a state of war exists between Germany and the low countries, thereby invoking full force of the neutrality laws.

Mr. Roosevelt's press conference was held shortly after he had conferred with state, justice, navy and army officials for 35 minutes on new problems of American neutrality.

He did not disclose any details of that meeting.

NO WONDER

Bill Snyder, of Camino, is smiling—look at the fish! Hooked Saturday at Lake Tahoe with a fly rod and a No. 8 hook, the beauty weighs seven pounds and eleven ounces.

BOOZE SALE TO MINOR, CHARGE

Snowline Camp Enrollee, Held For Rape, Reports Purchase Of Liquor

Angelo Lera, of the Bank Cafe, was arrested Thursday night and lodged in the county jail on a charge of selling liquor to minors in violation of Section 61 of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act.

Friday morning he was released on \$1,000 bail supplied by R. Lera and John A. Raffetto, Sr., to appear for a hearing in the court of Justice of the Peace T. F. Lewis on Thursday, May 16th.

Lera's arrest came as a development in an investigation by city and county officials in connection with the arrest of Frank Siffritt, 17, of Snowline CCC camp, on charge of rape.

Siffritt is reported to have told county officials that he was under the influence of liquor at the time of the alleged crime and when he said he had obtained the liquor at the Bank Cafe, Sheriff George M. Smith and District Attorney Henry S. Lyon called in Chief of Police Ralph Jones to join with them in working out the case.

After Siffritt had repeated his story of purchasing liquor at the Bank Cafe, Jones handed him one dollar and asked him to prove that he could buy liquor at that place.

The youth returned with a bottle of liquor which he said he had bought at the Bank Cafe and Lera was immediately taken into custody.

The statutory charge will probably be reviewed in the juvenile court, it was indicated on Friday.

Stating that he had learned that the defendant on the liquor charge, and his associates, had made inquiry as to the identity of the juvenile who claimed to have made the liquor purchase, District Attorney Lyon Friday morning warned Lera in the presence of witnesses that Siffritt is state's witness and that efforts to influence his testimony will mean "more trouble than you are in now."

GOLFERS HAVE BUSINESS MEETING TONIGHT AT COURTHOUSE

Golfers of the county, particularly those who have been playing during the past few months on the Placerville course, are to have a meeting at the courthouse tonight at 7:30 o'clock to effect an organization.

A general invitation has been extended to all followers of the sport to attend and participate in the meeting.

Pleas Divided In Gold Case

One Defendant Admits Guilt; His Brother Held In \$1,000 Bail

Roy Keeler, 32, and his brother, Ernest, 24, went different ways Friday morning when Sheriff George M. Smith and Inspector John Bondard, of the state division of Mines, arraigned them before Justice of the Peace T. F. Lewis on charges of falsifying affidavits in the sale of gold.

The former entered a plea that he is guilty and was sentenced by Justice of the Peace Lewis to serve thirty days in the county jail and, in addition, pay a fine of \$100.

Ernest Keeler, whom officials said faces four charges, all misdemeanors, entered a plea that he is not guilty and trial of the matter was set down for Monday, May 13th, at ten o'clock in the morning, the defendant being remanded in lieu of bail set at \$1,000.

SOCIAL OCCASION MONDAY FOR EASTERN STAR CHAPTER

Members of Fallen Leaf Chapter No. 90, O. E. S., are making plans for a social evening Monday night in observance of their annual "Elected Officers' Night."

Miss Laura Ball, a past worthy matron of the chapter, is in charge of the program for the evening.

Forest Given Charge Of Echo Lake Area

An order of the board of supervisors this week vests in the Forest Service supervisors charge of the area at the south end of Echo Lake. The formal order was necessary in the interest of development and regulation of the Echo Lake boat landing.

Ranger George B. Young and Mrs. Jessie Stevens, of the forest staff, were at Jackson Friday on business.

Doug Has Her Future Planned



Screen actor Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and wife, the former Mrs. Mary Lee Epling Hartford, look the proud mama and papa as their brand new daughter, Daphne, is photographed in Hollywood for the first time. Said Doug: "She will carry on the family tradition."

TULIP BEDS REVEAL ARTILLERY AS HOLLAND FIGHTS INVASION

Hay Stacks Turn Into Pill Boxes For Troops Taking Up Defense Positions Against Air Blitzkrieg By Germany

By GRATIAN P. McGROARTY
United Press Staff Correspondent

LEYDEN, The Netherlands, (UPI)—I saw an air blitzkrieg raging today over Holland where miles of tulip fields blazed in spring glory.

Over the flat countryside rolled clouds of dense black smoke from objectives hit in the German bombardments. Overhead was the whining roar of British, Dutch and German planes in combat and the sputtering chatter of their machine guns.

I roved all night and today in the country around Amsterdam, The Hague, Rotterdam and Leyden. At some points the military commanders kept me from getting close to the scene of action.

I got a hint from one Dutch officer near Rotterdam that the Germans had struck that port—Holland's greatest—a smashing blow.

"I can't tell you military secrets but I hate to think about the situation is at Rotterdam," this officer said.

Near Leyden I saw heavy clouds of black smoke rising. The Dutch military would not let me approach the scene but it was evident that some great fire, probably started by German bombs, was raging.

The Dutch commanders were calm and unruffled despite the constant roar of planes overhead. The Germans were being engaged in constant dog fights both by the British and Dutch planes. The Germans were attempting to machine gun concentrations of Dutch troops

but everywhere Dutch anti-aircraft guns were in action.

As I made my way from town to town along the canals, I saw many strange sights. I saw innocent-looking haystacks suddenly become pill boxes as the Dutch troops moved into their defense positions. I saw great beds blazing with tulips of all colors and in the center would appear anti-aircraft guns on concealed mountings.

I was told that many German planes had been brought down by anti-aircraft fire and by Dutch fighters and I saw two German airplanes shot down in one combat.

Along the roads were Dutch military cars and transport lorries taking soldiers to the various defense lines.

I was told that at The Hague the German planes dropped incendiary bombs, apparently aiming for the parliament house or the headquarters of the Dutch general staff. They missed their mark but a neighboring house was set afire.

In Amsterdam the central railroad station was closed to civilians and the first train loads of wounded were arriving from the frontier where the Dutch were resisting.

Two firemen were said to have been killed at Badhoevedorp, near the Schiphol airport outside Amsterdam, when they were machine gunned by German planes when trying to put out a fire started by incendiary bombs.

Judge McIntosh suspended five of the six months in jail and \$350 of the \$500 fine.

Caminoan, Aged 82, Has Hip Fracture

Bartender Sentenced In Placer Court

Charles Thompson, of Camino, is a patient at the Sanatorium for the treatment of a broken hip, suffered in a fall. Mr. Thompson, who is 82, "showed a lot more grit than many younger people we have transported in the ambulance," said A. J. Orelli. Dr. W. A. Reckers reports Mr. Thompson as resting easily, although a little out of patience with the present political setup in his native England.

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100 POINTS COUPON

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I hereby cast 100 Points to the credit of

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This coupon, neatly clipped out, name and address of worker filled in, mailed or delivered to this Campaign Office, will count as 100 POINTS. It does not cost you anything to cast these coupons for your favorite worker and you are not restricted in any sense in giving them. Get all you can and send them in—they all count.

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NOTE—This Coupon must be cast before May 25th



Fair tonight, Sat.; cooler Saturday.

INVASION MEETS CHALLENGE AS HOLLAND OPENS DYKES

PARIS, (UPI)—Le Temps in a dispatch from Brussels said today it had learned authoritatively that Belgian advanced lines near the German frontier had halted the enemy drive. The dispatch said Belgian soldiers were busily rounding up German parachute troops.

LONDON, (UPI)—The Netherlands radio broadcast a Dutch communiqué this afternoon reporting that the Dutch were strongly resisting the Germans along the line of the Maas and Yssel and were maintaining their positions at Delfzijl, opposite Emden.

LONDON, (UPI)—Radio Brussels reported that Belgian defense minister Henri Denis had told the chamber of deputies that the German advance had been checked at all points.

WASHINGTON, (UPI)—U. S. Ambassador John Cudahy reported from Brussels at 11:15 a. m. Belgian time that German forces had overrun all of Luxembourg and all of Limburg province in Belgium.

BRUSSELS, (UPI)—A defense ministry communiqué today said that Belgian armed forces, now under command of King Leopold, had halted invading German troops at the frontier.

By UNITED PRESS

Adolph Hitler's Blitzkrieg struck at Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg today in a mighty effort to win the European war by landing a knockout blow against Great Britain.

But Dutch and Belgian armed forces, given swift Allied support, fought back against a lightning attack that came through the air, over the sea and on land.

British and French fighting planes challenged the Great German serial armada again and again over the low countries, over France, off the coast of England and over Switzerland, where Nazi craft bombed a railroad during an air battle with the French.

In swift succession, dispatches told the story of lightning war in which both sides were throwing every resource.

Dutch dikes were blasted to delay the Germans. Dutch fighting planes combated bombers and parachute troops. Queen Wilhelmina appealed for resistance by the people of Holland. King Leopold took command of the swiftly-mobilized Belgian armed forces as his father, Albert, did in 1914.

Hilfer, the "first soldier" of the Reich, set up military headquarters at the front where it was officially stated that he was directing the entire operations after calling upon the German armed forces to strike a "decisive" blow that would decide the fate of the Reich for the next thousand years.

County Native Answers Call

Mrs. Ida E. Smith To Be Laid At Rest Saturday At El Dorado Cemetery

The funeral services for Mrs. Ida E. Smith, 80, a native of El Dorado County and a member of Fallen Leaf Chapter No. 90, O. E. S., and of Marguerite Parlor No. 12, N. D. G. W., will be held at 3 o'clock at the graveside at the cemetery at El Dorado.

The rites, which will be under the auspices of the Eastern Star Chapter, will follow funeral services earlier in the day at Sacramento, where Mrs. Smith had lived for many years and where she passed away on Thursday.

Mrs. Smith was the widow of Diamond Springs. In addition to her fraternal affiliation, Mrs. Smith was a member of the First Baptist church, at Sacramento.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Josephine Sprague, of Sacramento.

Members of El Dorado Chapter, Order of De Molay, will hold their social for the month of May at the Masonic hall this evening. Bids may be obtained from chapter members.

Stanley Bagley, 32, of Woodfords, was lodged in the county jail on Thursday evening by Game Warden Al Sears on a charge of fishing in closed waters.

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On The Air Tonight

5 to 6 p. m.
KFBK—Waltz Time; 5:30 Boulevard of Make Believe; 5:45 Man on the Boat.
KROY—Al Pearce; 5:30 News; 5:45 Lester's Lad; 5:55 Program Resume.
KSFO—See KROY; 5:30 The First Nighter.
KPO—See KFBK; 5:30 What's My Name.
KGO—Between Afternoon and Evening; 5:30 Nafe it and Take It.
KPRC—Announced; 5:30 Shafter Parker; 5:45 Little Orphan Annie.
6 to 7 p. m.
KFBK—Fight Parade.
KROY—Evening Concert; 6:30, President Roosevelt.
KSFO—Grand Central Station; 6:30 Believe It or Not.
KPO—Don Ameche Show; 6:30, President Roosevelt.
KGO—Fight Parade. Ambers vs Jenkins.
KPRC—Raymond G. Swing; 6:15, Economy Bloc; 6:30 J. B. Hughes; 6:45 Paging the Past.
7 to 8 p. m.
KFBK—Pleasure Time Program; 7:15 Elliott Roosevelt; 7:30 Amazing America.
War News; 7:20 Orchestra; 7:30 Kay Kyser.
KSFO—Amos and Andy; 7:15, Lanni Ross; 7:30 Johnn Pre-sents.
KPO—Pleasure Time Program; 7:15 Yours for Success; 7:30, Home Town Unincorporated.
KGO—Charlie Barnett; 7:30 See KFBK.
KPRC—George King; 7:15 G-man; 7:30 Lone Ranger.
8 to 9 p. m.
KFBK—Baseball, Sacramento Solons.
KROY—Dance Fancies; 8:30 Bob Crosby; 8:55 The Beauty Explorer.
KSFO—Kate Smith Hour; 5:55 the

Beauty Explorer.
KPO—Treasure Island Varieties; 8:30 Death Valley Days.
KGO—Al Brown; 8:30 Baseball, S. F. Seals.
KPRC—Honeymoon Cottage Contest; 8:30 Dance Orchestra.
9 to 10 p. m.
KFBK—Baseball, Sacramento Solons.
KROY—Raymond Scott; 9:15 Clyde Lucas; 9:30 Will Bradley; 9:45, News.
KSP—Paul Sullivan; 9:15, Don Novis; 9:30 See KROY.
KPO—Richard Humber; 9:15 Tropical Moods; 9:30 University Explorer.
KGO—Baseball.
KPRC—News; 9:15 Barbers; 9:30, Fulton Lewis; 9:45 Lights.

10 to 11 p. m.
KFBK—10:15 Fish Hawk; 10:30, Marty Malneck.
KROY—Records; 10:15 Orchestra; 10:30 Terry Shand; 10:55 News.
KSFO—Orchestra; 10:30 Tony aPstor.
KPO—News; 10:15 Concert Hall; 10:30 Gus Arnhem.
KGO—Baseball; 10:30 The Black Cat.
KPRC—Orchestra; 10:30 Orchestra Music.

11 p. m. to midnight
KFBK—Gary Nottingham; 11:30 Archie Loveland; 11:45 News.
KROY—Dance Orchestra; 11:30, Manny Strand.
KSFO—Orchestra; 11:30 See KROY Program; 11:55 News.
KPO—Nick Draper; 11:30 Archie Loveland.
KPRC—News; 11:15 Music.
KPRC—News; 11:05 Orchestra; 11:30 Playboys; 11:45 Transcriptions.
Midnight to 11 a. m.
KROY—Midnight Revue.
KSFO—News; 12:10 Hot Air; 1:00 Sign Off.

Today's Sport Parade

By Henry McLemore
United Press Staff Correspondent

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Perhaps the only man in America who wears knickers is Gene Sarazen.

Be that as it may. If the "Little Sardine," as he is affectionately known, could knock the golf ball as effectively as he does so many aspects of the golf game he would have won even more championships for the No. 1 event in golf.

"What the U. S. G. A. does now," said the little fellow who has held most of the world's major titles, "is to put the open on the auction block each year. The tournament goes to the highest bidder, no matter what the course is like. I tell you I have played in opens that were held over courses that were scarcely fit for a ladies' flag tournament. When golfers play for the biggest title of them all they deserve a course that exacts the best in shot making."

Never a man to point out an ill without offering a cure, Sarazen had this to suggest to the U. S. G. A.

"Let them follow the example of the British," he said, "and choose six great courses and name them as the permanent sites of the open. The British don't play their open on any and every course. It is always on St. Andrews or Sandwich or Prestwick or equal courses. The U. S. G. A. may argue that it has to award the open to various parts of the country, but that would be alright too. I won't try to name the six best courses in the country, but I will name you some the boys could choose from. On the coast, the Los Angeles Country Club and the San Francisco Country Club. In the midwest, Interlachen at Minneapolis and Olympic Fields in Chicago. Here in the east, Brookline at Boston. Fresh Meadows and Garden City near New York, and Merion in Philadelphia. In the south, the Masters at Augusta and the No. 2 at Oakmont in Pittsburgh."

Gene believes it would be a swell idea to alternate the open, the amateur, and the women's national between six courses chosen from such a group of fine courses. And, when the war is over, play the Ryder and Walker cup matches on them, too, which would give each of them a tournament a year.

"In that way," Sarazen said, "the operators of the courses would know what to expect. They would have ample time to get and keep the courses in shape. As it is now, inferior courses often get the open and amateur tournaments and the men who run them have to resort to tricky means to make them difficult—and unfair."

There is sense to what Sarazen says, don't you think?

QUICK TRANSFER

BUTTE, Mont., (UP)—E. Helman obtained a quick transfer from the city jail to St. James Hospital by rolling off the top bunk of the jail cell and landing on the cement floor below. Police psychiatrists were unable to decide whether the "roll" as on purpose or accident.

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Presentation of bouquet of flowers to all mothers.

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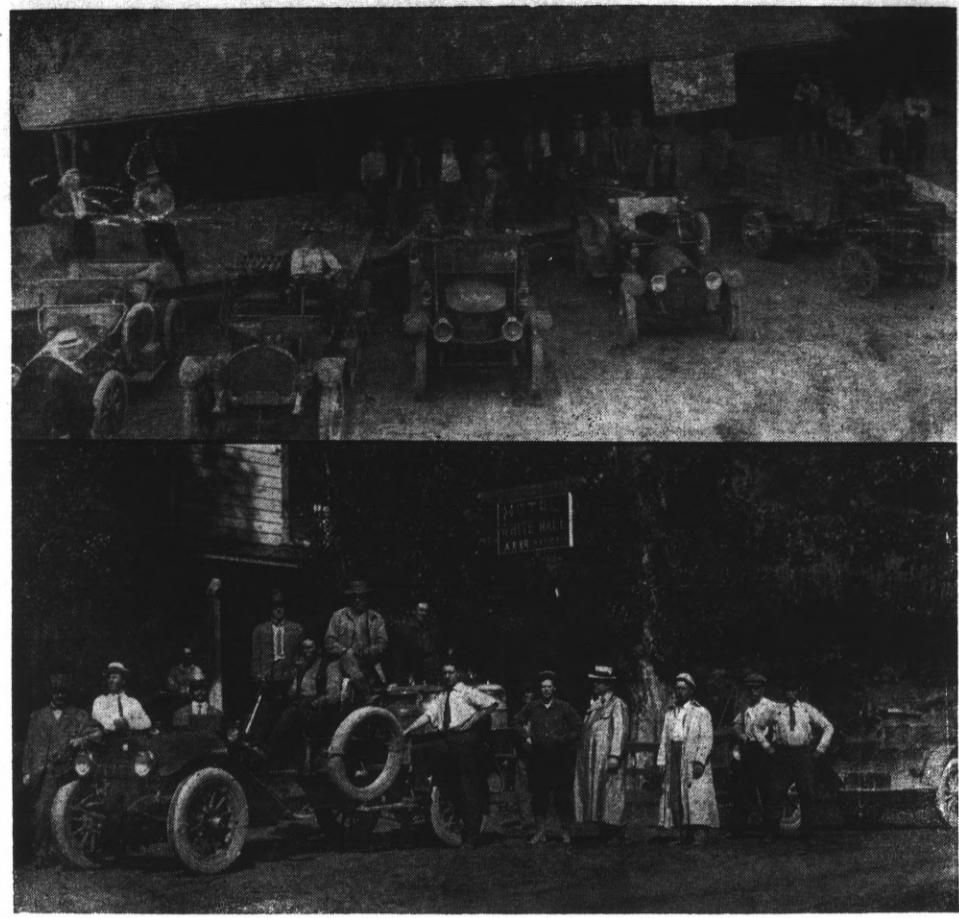
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TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE El Dorado Rod and Gun Club is Saturday, May 11th, and herewith are two views of the club's earlier activities in fish planting, preserved for posterity by the camera of Don Goodrich. The upper photo shows the start from the railroad station of one of the fish planting trips. The cars, left to right, are two belonging to A. L. Richardson; Al Brewster's Stanley steamer, and trucks of Joseph Rupley and Molinari and Albusch. Euell Gray is on the platform at the extreme left. The man next to him is said to be another warden. Next in line are William Seely, William Craddock, then two who are unidentified, then John Pascoe, then two more unidentified, and then L. A. Reeg and T. F. Lewis. We were unable to identify the group on the right. The lower photo, taken at the old Whitehall Hotel, was taken on a day remembered by all of the group now alive as "the day everybody went into the river" unwillingly. In the picture, left to right, are Thomas Patton, Euell Gray, Mr. Compton, a newspaper man, Mr. Silva at the wheel, T. F. Lewis, L. A. Reeg, George Wickes, on the truck, Percy Alderson, Frank Newbert, W. S. Kirk, one unidentified, and John Pascoe. We were unable to learn the name of the man in front of the truck.

Neighborhood NEWS

COOL NOTES

A community farewell party in the form of a weiner roast will be held at the 4-H Club meeting on Thursday evening, May 16, honoring Miss Ursula Hogan who has resigned from the position of teacher of the Cave Valley school which she has held for ten years.

Only 87 of the 173 registered voters in Pilot Hill precinct cast votes at the election Tuesday.

The last meeting of the year of Northside Farm Bureau center was held at Penobscot last Friday evening. William White was elected to serve as director for next year, with Alexis Lafaille as vice director and Miss Louise Eberhard as secretary.

Five students will receive diplomas of graduation at the exercises to be held at Pilot Hill school on

SHINGLE SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Courtney came up from the bay city and made a short visit with Mrs. L. Wend over the weekend.

There were not many came out to vote on Tuesday. There were only 52 votes cast.

Elmore Taylor came up from Folsom to cast his vote on Tuesday and make a short visit with his father, Judge Taylor.

Word has been received by several of Billie Harvey's friends in Shingle Springs that he is to be married on Friday evening in Auburn to Miss Barbara Guden. They will make their home in Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price came over from Colfax to vote on Tuesday.

Leland Barton called on his mother on Tuesday and other local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ybright made a trip to Nashville on Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Miller and Mrs. Irma Ybright were callers in Placerville on Wednesday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. L. Wing will leave for the Lake Sunday where she will spend the summer at Chambers Lodge.

MISSOURI FLAT

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Boles and Leland Boles made a trip up to Strawberry hotel Sunday to see how much damage the fire did.

E. Boles and M. T. Kelly were in Kelsey Saturday.

Mrs. Engstrum, mother of Ralph Engstrum, is visiting at his home in Missouri Flat.

Miss J. Rea spent the weekend with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rea.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tatum have returned from their trip to the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Tatum and family have moved into the Dunlap ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Engstrum were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Davis' home.

The Missouri Flat Sewing Club met at Mrs. W. Byrnes' home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Davis were down to their place on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn spent the weekend with his father, Al Dunn.

Mr. Hill, of Oakland, moved up Sunday and states he is going to have a shoe shop in town.

We hear Mrs. A. L. Miller is ill. We hope she is feeling better by now.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin have a man grading off the corner of the highway so they can put in their gas tanks for their filling station.

Saturday night May 11th is another dance at Missouri Flat Hall. I hear we are going to have creamed chicken and strawberry shortcake.

I don't know what you folks think, but it sounds mighty tempting to me.

FIVE MILE TERRACE

Mrs. Charles Hennings, president of the Blairs P. T. A. announces that the regular May meeting will be held at the school house Friday afternoon at three o'clock. At two o'clock Mrs. Corbell and the children will entertain at a Mothers Day tea, according to the clever and attractive invitations sent out last week.

Among the Terrace residents who

attended the music festival in Placerville Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hennings, Mrs. Walter Parkhurst and Mrs. MacFarland. Children from Blairs school appeared in the upper grades chorus, rhythm bands, lower grades Davis Hennings, Christine Miller, Marjorie Overton and Helen Noyes who portrayed the "Lotus from India" in the "Flowers of the Nations." Many compliments for their lovely appearance and fine performance. The entire music festival was thoroughly enjoyed by all present and great credit is due those responsible for its presentation.

Mr. Chester Johnson of Camino spent Monday at the Gordon Wooldridge home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Skaggs of Camino were guests of the Clarence Tidds on Saturday evening.

Raymond Lumley is spending a few weeks in Camino with his aunt, Mrs. H. K. Durham.

Among the motorists enjoying the beautiful spring weather on Mrs. Lena Vanyie and Al Huot were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vannett in Camino when the Vannetts entertained in honor of their wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Marysville were also present.

Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parkhurst and son Earl who drove to Bass Lake and the Wm. Lumleys who drove to Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Durham were visiting in Sacramento Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Donning and daughter Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Quiberg and children of Placerville had Sunday dinner with Rex's mother, Mrs. Linda J. Miller. They will move from Placerville this week to the 29-Mile Ranger Station for the summer.

Alf Quiberg was home on Sunday returning early Monday to Lake Tahoe where he expects to finish his work as census enumerator this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shanklin have as their house guests this week Mrs. Shanklin's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mariner of Lakeport Lake County. They arrived last Friday and plan to visit here for about a month. On Sunday the party drove to Kyubur where they were guests of Mrs. Shanklin's son, Bert Frey and his family at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holliday of the Tourist Garage were in Auburn on business Monday.

Frank Leventon, aged 62, died in Oroville Saturday, May 4, 1940. Graveside services were held in Red Bluff Tuesday. Mr. Leventon was a brother of Mrs. C. I. Martin of Georgetown.

Ladies Have Birthdays

Mrs. Anna May Sagner was facilitated on having another birthday Friday, May 3rd by a group of friends who called in the afternoon and evening with gifts including birthday cakes with more than 21 candles. They all wished her many happy returns of the day.

On Sunday, May 5th, Miss Little Stemmen celebrated her 86th birthday with a turkey birthday dinner at the Conners home. Guests were present from Oakland and Georgetown and her neighbors who brought gifts to make the occasion happy for the honored guest.

Bud Polley and daughter, Mrs. James were up from Belmont over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Preedy and grandson Dick Clements attended the Legion picnic at Lodi Saturday.

Sunday, in company with his sister, Mrs. May Pope and Elbert Pope, they motored to the Calaveras Big Trees. Saturday was an off-day for Mrs. Presby. While watching the children's races at the picnic a man started to back out and instead of going backward went ahead and knocked Mrs. Presby down. She is still nursing bruises. In the afternoon when they went back to the picnic Mrs. Presby's fingers were caught in the car door and she is also nursing mashed fingers. So ended a perfect day.

The Native Daughters card party Saturday night was well attended having seventeen tables. We were unable to get the list of those who made high scores.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leonardi, Victor Leonardi, Mrs. Maggie Carpenter and Mrs. Alman were over from Placerville to the card party Saturday night.

While working on a ditch in the Slesenop orchard one day last week Charles Wells felt something hitting him on the boot leg. Looking down he saw the tail end of a rattlesnake whipping about. He saw he was standing on its head and it didn't take him very long to end the life of that reptile. The rattle had six rattles.

The Red Cross first aid lessons are given each Tuesday night at the school house. Those who have signed up are: Mr. Kemp Van Ee, Elmer Foose, Margaret Delwisch, Clarence Collins, Kenneth Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Van Artsdalen, Mrs. Ossie Holiday, Mrs. Kivlaho, Amy Drysdale, Mr. West, Katheryn West and Larry West.

Mrs. E. Hutton and Mrs. G. Clark were in Placerville on Monday.

Mrs. Mabel Gray has just finished a very lovely job of painting and decorating her kitchen.

Bill Frey of Concord is visiting at the Hutton home. Mr. Frey came up from Concord to attend his uncle's funeral at Fairplay.

Mrs. Mary Cannon and children were visiting at the Hutton and Gray homes on Tuesday.

The dance at Pleasant Valley had a much larger crowd than they usually do. The orchestra was better than ever. A delicious supper was served at midnight and the hours went all too fast after midnight.

Earl and Leon Dearborn were at their home at Bucks Bar over the weekend and attended the dance at Pleasant Valley.

Ed De Witt and Donald Wentz will be in town on Sunday. Mr. De Witt put up a tent house for Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Curtis who are working for the Horse Shoe Dredging Co.

GEOGETOWN

The official rainfall for the last storm was 45 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Orell, of Roseville, spent the weekend with Mrs. Neille Schlein and family at Kelsey and they all attended the Native Daughters card party Saturday night.

Stanley Tong was in Colfax Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Case were here over the weekend and took in the card party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Breedlove and Mrs. Kate Reinhard were Placerville visitors Tuesday of last week.

W. L. Conwell, C. E., College of Engineering, Cornell University, N. Y., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jerrett over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan and a friend of Marysville were calling on friends here Sunday; at the same time viewing our Scotch broom in all its beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pugh of Snowline, were here Tuesday doing their duty at the polls.

Miss Hazel Francis of San Leandro, Miss Ann Bannon of San Francisco, and Norman Strickland of Sacramento, spent the weekend at the Alex Francis home. The guests, accompanied by Florene Luce and Urte Francis, motored to Placerville Sunday returning by way of Marshall Monument and Coloma.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pigeon and son of Shenandoah Valley were calling on friends here Sunday.

While working on a dredger near Kelsey Friday, Walter Whitson's shirt sleeve became entangled in some machinery and before he was able to get away the muscles in the upper part of his arm were badly mangled. He was rushed to Auburn for aid and later taken to a Sacramento hospital. Latest report is that it is feared he has blood poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jerrett are spending a few days at Cool with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jerrett.

Dr. Ed Porter and daughter, of San Jose, were here last week looking up old friends. Dr. Porter made his home here in the '80's with his parents who own the Henry Ward place. He has been located in San Jose the last twenty years.

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Charles Ross, Dewey Bishop, Arthur and Jack Williams and Wm. Latimer went to Long Canyon, Placer county, Saturday on a fishing trip.

Loren Boromini spent Sunday at Yosemite National Park with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Butts and son, Jack.

Wm. Buchanan and family moved Saturday to the cottage the Michigan-California Lumber Company has just completed on Larsen's Lane.

Mrs. H. K. Durham returned from Redwood City last week where she has been spending some time with her son, O. M. Durham and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Melton and baby of Bella Vista, Shasta county, visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Harry Tuthill and Mr. Tuthill on Monday.

Sunday's Games

Colfax at Grass Valley.

Polsom at Lincoln.

Roseville Marchants at Placerville.

Night Game May 15

Auburn at Roseville W & R.

Hugh Schaffer was appointed as chairman for the annual school picnics the last week of school. Refreshments of strawberry shortcake and coffee were served by Mrs. Art Braden. About thirty members were present.

The Camino Girl Scouts are selling tickets to their card party which will be held Saturday night at the Camino Farm Hall. The money from the card party is to be used in establishing a permanent Girl Scout camp for the girls of El Dorado County. The site of the camp is about six miles off the highway near Riverton. Work on the camp will be started as soon as possible and a storage house for camp supplies will be constructed first.

Olin Stroud of Manteca spent Thursday of last week with his brother, Marvin Stroud and family.

Rainfall for April was 1.46 inches and the total for the season to date is 60.88 inches.

George Davenport and son, Rubin, spent the weekend with the former's brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. James Davenport in Valje.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foss, of Berkeley, visited Saturday on their way to their summer home at Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Savage and Wm. Wygemma spent the weekend at Richardson's, Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Potts and son spent Sunday at White Rock with the latter's uncle, Al Sales.

The regular meeting of the Industrial Employees Union was held May 2 with vice chairman Gordon Wooldridge in the chair. Mr. Dase, the field man, Mr. Thomason and Mr. Bertram, chairman and secretary of the Sacramento local, were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ripley and Mrs. M. Scherrer, and son John were callers at the Kimble home Wednesday.

Mrs. Cora Ross and daughter, Geneva, moved into Placerville on Tuesday.

The five generations are: Mrs. Mary Errecart of Dinuba, the great great grandmother; Mrs. Mary Errecart, a resident of Polson, the great grandmother; Mrs. Lohmiller, the grandmother; Mrs. Francis Bibby of Placerville, the mother, and the latter's daughter, Francine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Giffen and son have moved into the Carleton Hickman home at the Camino Ridge Farm on Wednesday.

Pupils of Mrs. L. Miller of the Union school who took part in the festival at the high school Saturday were Mildred Berriman, Betty Bacoccini, Nancy Madden, Loring Brunius, Jean Darrington, Betty Bacoccini, Mildred

See the wonderful showing of iris at the Flower Festival May 11th.
Drop in for tea at the Shakespeare Club House May 11th.

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DUPLEX, 3 rm. furn. \$22.50. 146 Canal. m6thc.

MODERN flat furn. 156 Canal. m6fc

FURN. 3 rms. and bath \$15. House #18. Phone 412P, Swingles. m8-23c

FOR Summer months, furn. 5 rm. house, gar. Close in. Inquire 65 Coloma. m8j8*

FURNISHED cabins. Phone 346. m2-9*

2 RM furn. apt. \$16.00. 65 Bedford Ave. a28fc

3-RM. House, 12 acres, ½ mile from HI school, also large warehouse 60x80 feet, along highway. Clifton Company, Center Street, Phone 26. a25tf

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UNFURN. modern 5 rm house. Elec. range, water heater, oil heater. Phil Frost, Ph. 130 or 126. a16-tfc

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LARGE house with yard, good location. Inquire 23 Hazard St. Ph. 797. f31-1fc

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SWEET PEAS and potted plants for Mother's Day. Grace Hosking, 205 Union St. Phone 175M. m3-10c

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EQUITY in '37 Ford V8 DeLuxe Coupe. Good rubber, extras. Phone 215M after 6 p.m. m9tfc.



THE Book & Bookmark

By JANE VOILES

We have never seen a more handsome display of "Garden" books than this season. It must be the garden tours and garden shows of recent years that have made us all so garden-conscious. We have already had something to say about Julian Meade's "Bouquets and Bitters." It is one of the most original of the many fine garden books, full of anecdotes, informal, chatty remarks and invaluable information for the gardener, amateur or professional.

Mr. Meade listens to a controversy on the pronunciation of that word that is forever causing dispute among gardeners: Gladoli. One member of the party pronounced it "glä-DIE-öll," another "gläd-O-lí" and still another who belonged to the socially elite called it "GLAD-ya-ll."

Tribute is paid to all kinds of rare flowers in Mr. Meade's book but he doesn't forget the tough, little perennials that lend life and color to thousands of gardens. For example, he reminds the reader of that little poem that Christopher Morley quoted on Black-eyed Susans:

"I used to love my garden
But now my love is dead.
I found a Bachelor's Button
In Black-eyed Susan's bed."

We can't resist quoting this bit of doggerel with its sound advice:

"Early to bed
Early to rise
Work like hell
And fertilize!"

Mr. Meade has the courage to express his opinion of the excesses to which over-doses of flower arrangement are bringing us. He quotes his friend "who is scared to death to have a vase of flowers in sight" when her friends come in because they are far more interested in seeing if the flowers are one and a half the height of the container than in seeing the flowers themselves. As for the miniature arrangements, they are hangovers from playhouse days.

Gardens from all over the country get into the book. An account of the Cottage Herb Garden at the National Cathedral in Washington will convert many a non-interested party into an herbalist. One might start with the scented-leaf geraniums: rose, skeleton-leaf, nutmeg, lemon, Lady Mary, and apple

James Stewart in a story of a little shop in Budapest which is directed by Ernst Lubitsch and is reported as having a distinctive "Grand Hotel flavor."

"Little Old New York," with Alice Faye and Fred MacMurray is a lusty, red-blooded tale of the early New York waterfront and the construction of the first steamboat, the "Clermont," in 1807. MacMurray's job is to bring the unusual vessel into being from the specifications set by Richard Greene, who plays Robert Fulton.

Give a Mother's Day present from the selection of shrubs and blooming plants at the Shakespeare Club May 11th.

ATTENTION O. E. S.
The officers and members of Fallen Leaf Chapter No. 90, O. E. S., will meet at the Masonic hall in Placerville at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon to go to El Dorado cemetery and conduct funeral services at 3 o'clock for our late sister, Ida E. Smith.

By order of
ETHEL VAN VLECK, W. M.
Elizabeth Martin, Secretary.

Take home something for dinner from the food sale at the Shakespeare Club May 11th.

PROUD OF MAPLE SYRUP
FULTON, Mo. (IP)—Missouri, nationally known for its mules, now makes a bid for recognition of a maple syrup center. Sen. Harry S. Truman sent President Roosevelt a quart of syrup made from the sap of central Missouri's maple trees.

Three shifts of men are employed in the operation of the dredge, the gasoline shovel and in general clearing of debris and brush.

Under the system used the sands are classified and piled with the large waste material, thereby putting no silt in the stream. Water for the operation of the dredge is purchased from the Georgetown Divide Water Company.

The material, a portion of which was worked in the early days, is scooped up by a gasoline shovel and dumped into a hopper. It is then carried to the plant where it is treated by means of a trommel jig, sluice boxes and an amalgamation plate. The waste material is carried away by a conveyor belt and stacked.

Hadsel, designer, and in charge of construction and operation of the unit, is also the inventor of the Hadsel mill used in some parts of the United States, in Canada and in the Philippines.

With his partners, C. F. Fisk, of Alameda, E. J. Harp and Elmer Von Gahan of Corcoran and John W. Marshbank of Daly City, he also operates the Monarch mine at the Butcher Ranch near Foresthill in Placer county. A 100 ton cyanide plant is now on this property, which Hadsel says has a potential 20,000,000 tons of ore. With the opening of the property this year the partners are contemplating the construction of a 500 ton plant.

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Emerald for the Month of May

Burger Knows Gems . . .

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If you are at all curious about the favorite flowers of First Ladies you will learn that Eleanor Roosevelt is particularly fond of yellow roses and that Mrs. Hoover liked Canterbury bells. The first Mrs. Wilson liked a simple garden that was neither complicated nor ornate. Mrs. Taft had a tall privet hedge planted around the grounds so she could enjoy her walks in privacy. Mrs. Coolidge who liked to arrange her own flowers always kept a vase of fresh flowers in front of the photograph of her dead son.

You will enjoy Mr. Meade's stories of the Hollywood gardens. To be sure, he found Norma Shearer more attractive than her garden, but we must remember that Mr. Meade is a young man and susceptible to beauty wherever he finds it. When he heard that Joan Bennett wanted him to see her garden he was skeptical and said he was sure she didn't know a bulb from an onion. But when she asked for directions for making a compost pile, that was a horse of a different color. And these are the directions: mix everything from wilted lettuce to a faded corsage into the compost pile, sprinkle with lime and wait for decay to give the best fertilizers.

Harold Lloyd's three million dollar estate, Green Acres, revealed one enchanting garden after another. Bette Davis is the possessor of a handsome jacaranda tree. Jeannette MacDonald favors hony-suckle arbors and Myrna Loy tends her own herb garden.

In San Francisco, Mr. Meade visited the Podesta & Baldocchi shop paying it a just tribute. Our California begonias gave him the greatest thrill he received in the state. These are just the merest skimmings of the delights the book offers. If your garden consists of a window box or three acres, you will find help and entertainment in "Bouquets and Bitters."

No Pleasing Drys or Wets

GREAT FALLS, Mont. (IP)—When the city council limited beer licenses to one for every 750 population and retail liquor licenses to one for every 1,500 persons, its action was received two ways. Supporters said it would prevent the growth of police and social problems. Opponents insisted it created a monopoly.

Gardens from all over the country get into the book. An account of the Cottage Herb Garden at the National Cathedral in Washington will convert many a non-interested party into an herbalist. One might start with the scented-leaf geraniums: rose, skeleton-leaf, nutmeg, lemon, Lady Mary, and apple

Recorder's Filings

May 3, 1940

Order authorizing sale of real property in the matter of the liquidation of Columbia Guarantee Building and Loan Association of Oakland, California, to Oakland Realty Co.

Deed, Ralph W. Evans, Building and Loan Commissioner to Oakland Realty Co.

Deed, Oakland Realty Co., to R. L. and Nina E. Warne.

Deed of Trust (3), Robert L. and Nina E. Warne to trustee of Oakland Realty Co.

Bill of sale (2) M. J. Ferrari to State Box Company.

Deed, James H. and Melva T. Goodhue to Lester H. and Earline Ricketts.

Deed, Lester and Earline Ricketts to Albert B. and Nettie G. Flagg.

Deed, Lou M. Mack to Daniel Alexander III, and wife.

Reconveyance, Corporation of America to legal owners, trust deed of Donald and Irene Scalzi.

Deed, Donald and Irene Scalzi to John C. and Mabel Calvin.

Trust deed, John C. and Mabel Calvin to trustee of Bank of America N. T. & S. A.

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Deed, Emma Masten to Arthur F. Masten.

Deed, Arthur P. Masten to Ferdinand D. and Arthur P. Masten.

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